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Classified By: Ambassador R. Stephen Beecroft for reasons 1.4 (b) and (d).

- 11. (C) On November 3, the Ambassador passed copies of reftel demarche points to both Nasser Lozi, Chief of the Royal Court, and Jaffar Hassan, Director of International Affairs for the Royal Court. Both officials acknowledged the receipt of the USG views on the upcoming General Assembly debate on the report and said they would take the demarche points "under advisement."
- 12. (C) Comment: Separately, Jordanian interlocutors have told Embassy officials that they see no way for Jordan to support the U.S. position on this issue, given current domestic and regional public opinion. The Jordanians do not believe that they are in a position to vote against measures that the USG finds objectionable. End Comment.